

Beaver County ss:



**The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,**

I, John Laughrey Deputy Prothonotary of  
the Court of Common Pleas, in and for said county, do  
by these presents certify, that on the 3 day of  
November in the year A. D., 1879 person-  
ally came before me, Thomas W. Rodgers  
a native of England and heretofore  
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain

And having duly been sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it  
was bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the United States. and renouncing  
and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or  
Sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and  
fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain

whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and affixed the seal  
of the said Court, at Beaver, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of November  
in the year A. D. 1879 and of the Independence of the United States the

Attest:

John Laughrey Deputy Prothonotary.